

REFUSE AND RECYCLING

2015

CITY OF KINGSTON



DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS

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Transfer Station

69 Albert Street
(behind UC Jail)
Kingston, NY 12401

(845) 331-5787
during operating hours

(845) 338-2114 all other

Hours of Operation
Friday 9:00am-1:00pm
Saturday 8:00am-3:00pm

Dec, Jan & Feb Open
Friday and Saturday
8:00am-12:00pm

Closed July 3, 4 and Dec 25, 26

Available to Kingston Residents & businesses
for disposal of trash, recycling, wood, yard waste,
brush, tires, metal, computers & appliances

City residents may drop brush, yard waste, leaves
and recycling **FREE**

Commercial Contractors charged a fee

Must not be contaminated or mixed with other items

NO cash accepted

Checks Made Payable To
City of Kingston DPW

NO hazardous material accepted
Contact UCRRA for drop off days
336-0600

Excavations—Any City street or public right of way
needing excavation must have an approved permit
from the Dept. of Public Works. Applications are
available at the administrative office. A minimum
of 48 hours notice is required before approval.

Sidewalks/Streets—Any City sidewalk or public
right of way (including street parking) that need
repair, replacement or to be blocked for any reason
requires an approved permit from the Dept. of Pub-
lic Works. Applications are available at the admin-
istrative office. A minimum of 48 hours notice is
required before approval.

METAL, FURNITURE AND CARPETS

Metal:

- Collected on the last Friday of each month unless
weeks with holiday
- Must call for appointment for pick up

Appliances at Curb or Transfer Station:

- \$30 Fee per item w/Freon picked up curbside
- \$20 all others
- A sticker and pick up appointment
must be obtained at DPW Office for curb
side pick up

Furniture:

- Must pay for sticker at DPW office
- Sleeper sofas must have metal removed before
curbside pick up or brought to Transfer Station

- **All furniture/mattresses & box springs:**

Curbside pickup \$20.00 (per item)

If Furniture Brought to Transfer Station:

Couch (non sleeper) \$12.00

All other furniture \$ 8.00

Mattress/box spring \$ 5.00

Carpet:

- Must be cut, rolled & tied in 4ftlengths
- Not to exceed 50lbs

PLACEMENT AT CURB

CORRECT



INCORRECT



ELECTRONICS

TV's Computers
Printers Microwaves
Other electronic equipment

Electronics will not be picked up curbside. Items
may be brought to Transfer Station during
operating hours

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PERMITS/RENTAL

Available at Administrative Office
25 East O'Reilly St (331-0682)

Dump Truck Rental	\$250.00 (includes tipping fee)
Dumpster Rental	\$250.00 (plus tipping fee)
Sidewalk Permit	\$ 35.00
Excavation Permit	\$150.00
Sewer Tap	\$350.00

(Ground Floor Office Handicap Accessible)
NO Cash Accepted
Check/Money Order Payable to City of Kingston
DPW

- REFUSE

- 32 gallon containers must be in good condition

Single Family Residence

- 1 brown tote OR (3) three 32 gallons cans

Two Family Residence

- 1 brown tote PLUS (3) three 32 gallons cans
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Three Family or More Residence

- 1 brown tote PLUS (6) six 32 gallon cans
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- Must be placed at curb no earlier than 5:00pm on day prior to or by 6:00am on day of pick up
- Must be taken off curb by 6:00pm on pick up day
- Cardboard boxes cannot be used to contain refuse

BROWN REFUSE TOTE

For residents with 96 gallon brown tote:

- Only REFUSE may be placed in brown totes
- Recycling can only be placed in blue totes
- As with blue tote keep away from any obstructions such as fences, poles, overhead wires etc

3 x 3 space must be cleared
curbside for each receptacle placed

ITEMS NOT COLLECTED CURBSIDE

- Tires
- Auto parts
- Paint cans (with paint)
- Propane Tank
- Fluorescent light bulbs
- Contractor’s or construction debris
- Refuse not generated in City of Kingston
- Containers over 32 gallons
- Containers over 50 lbs.
- Damaged or faulty receptacles

Any items not put out correctly are in violation of City Solid Waste Codes and subject to fines

YARD WASTE

Alternate Weeks with Co-Mingled and
Single Stream Recycling

Grass clippings, leaves, garden debris,
small or chipped branches

- Collected March 17 – October 31
- No contractor’s debris
- Grass clippings must be in 32 gallon trash container or bio-degradable leaf or lawn bag

BRUSH

Alternate Weeks with Co-Mingled and
Single Stream Recycling

Tree pruning, shrubs and large branches

- Collected from Apr 7 to May 30 & Sep 2 to Oct 31
- No items over 4’ in length or 3” in diameter
- Branches/pruning's must be bundled and tied
- Not to exceed 3ft long x 3ft wide x 4ft high

- WOOD
- Collected Apr 7 to May 30 & Sep 2 to Oct 31
 - Picked up every week on regular trash day
 - No items over 4 foot in length
 - No items over 3 inches in diameter
 - Wood curbside must be containerized
 - No contractor’s debris
 - All wood furniture must be broken up for collection, kept separate from trash, containerized and

- LEAVES
- Plastic bags are no longer accepted
- Collection Oct 27—Nov 28
 - Will be picked up on normal trash day
 - Must be in biodegradable bag not to exceed 50 lbs.

City Residents may bring brush, yard waste leaves and recycling to Transfer Station free of charge

Items must not be contaminated or mixed with other items

A Refuse/Recycling Pick Up Schedule
can be obtained in English & Spanish
on City Website

Printable for refrigerator or bulletin board size

www.kingston-ny.gov

NEWSPAPER, MAGAZINES,
OFFICE PAPER AND JUNK MAIL

- Taken weekly on regular trash day
- Placed in blue recycling tote
- No brown bags or cardboard with newspaper
- No wax or plastic coated products

- CARDBOARD
- Taken bi-weekly on regular trash day
 - Placed in blue recycling tote
 - Thin cardboard accepted such as soda, cereal or tissue boxes, egg cartons, shoe boxes etc.
 - No soiled, waxed or plastic coated cardboard - e.g. pizza boxes, frozen food etc.

- Snow
- Snow emergency may be declared when snow is imminent or National/State /County weather forecasts a storm watch or when road conditions may be hazardous.
 - A snow emergency is automatic after accumulation of three inches of snow/sleet.
 - The snow emergency continues a min 48 hours
 - During & up to 24 hours after a snow emergency, no motor vehicle may be parked on City streets except in areas designated for alternate side of the street parking.

SINGLE STREAM RECYCLING

All recyclable materials combined into blue tote (plastic, glass, paper and cardboard)

Opposite week pick up with yard waste

Residents without blue tote picked up weekly

Blue Recycling Tote Guidelines:

- Container must be placed with handle facing in towards the home
- A 3ft. x 3ft. space must be cleared for each receptacle placed at curb
- When possible place recycling tote at least 3 feet from trash cans and other items placed at curb . Also keep away from trees, overhead branches and power lines
- Over flow recycling may be placed in a marked container & placed next to blue recycling tote

Items Accepted for Single Stream Recycling

YES

Milk/Fruit Juice Cartons

Plastic Bottles, Tubs, Jugs and Jars (#1-#7)

Glass Bottles, Aluminum Cans & Jars

Lids from glass bottles & jars if separated from item

Remove Lids from Glass Bottles or Jars

Paper Egg Cartons

Thin Cardboard Boxes (cereal etc.)

Corrugated Cardboard and Paper Bags

Newspapers, Magazines, Catalogs, Junk Mail & Office Paper

Hard backed books

NO

DO NOT crush cans or containers

Plastic bags (such as from supermarket)

Scrap Metal

Frozen Food Boxes unless has recycling emblem

Ceramic or Non-Recyclable Glass

Hazardous Waste/Diapers

Light Bulbs, Drinking or Window Glass

No plastic lids or caps from glass bottles or jars

Styrofoam or paper to-go containers



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